

Clerk's Office
United States District Court
1 Courthouse Way, Suite 2300
Boston, MA. 02210

January 17, 2006

Re: Thomas MacLeod v. David Nolan,
Civil Action No. 04-11629-PBS

Dear Sir/Madam,

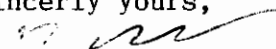
Kindly accept this letter in regards to the above entitled action for a Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus, filed on 07/16/04.

I was informed by the Court (Magistrate Judge Judith G. Dein), on 03/29/05 that, "the matter has been fully briefed and is under advisement. We will let you know when a decision is reached".

In all due respect to the court, my legal mail at MCI- Cedar Junction has not flowed in a consistent way and I'm wondering about the status of this matter? And my request for an evidentiary hearing on the merits of my claims?

Thank you for your courtesy in this regard.

Sincerely yours,


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